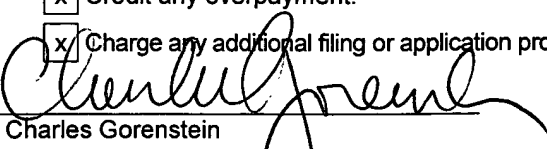




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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Docket No. 1254-0231P		
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Applicant(s): Takeharu MURAMATSU					
Invention: PORTABLE TERMINAL DEVICE, PROGRAM FOR READING INFORMATION, AND RECORDING MEDIUM HAVING THE SAME RECORDED THEREON					
MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated October 20, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.